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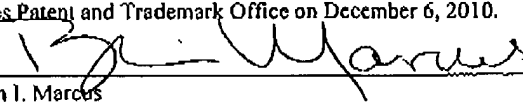
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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.378, petitioner hereby petitions the Patent and Trademark Office for acceptance of a late maintenance fee. The 11 ½ year maintenance fee, including the six month grace period, was due to be filed by October 20, 2010. The undersigned certifies that the delay in payment of the maintenance fee to this patent was unintentional. Petitioner requests that the delayed payment of the maintenance fee be accepted and the patent reinstated.

Together with this petition, petitioner hereby pays the following fees:

- 11 ½ year maintenance fee (large entity): \$4110.00
- Surcharge for accepting unintentional late payment of Maintenance fee: \$1640.00

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Respectfully submitted,

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